

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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CORRUPTION IN NRHM
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether various kind of irregularities/corruption have been reported in implementation of the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to ensure smooth and corruption-free running of the NRHM?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

- (a) No.
- (b) Does not arise
- (c) Under NRHM steps have been taken with greater State participation for effective utilization of funds. Community monitoring IS encouraged.

Finance Managers and Account Managers at State / District Level and Accountants at PHCs / CHCs have been provided under NRHM. Regular Reports on Financial Progress is collected with the help of Financial Monitoring Reports (FMRs). The system of e-banking and electronic transfer of funds has been introduced for expediting transfer of funds and better monitoring. There is system of concurrent audit and annual audit by CAG approved Chartered Accountants. Moreover, the states are supposed to follow State Financial Rules.